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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I have tried all the big providers for Communications and have been disappointed that is why going with Sonic a local company that helps the community and they have not raised their rates, I am disabled and travel vicariously with my computer by looking at places I could not access in great joy from listening to music at concerts I cannot attend.

The FCC should be very aware that more competition is it healthy.

I am a disabled senior on a fixed income and could not take the price hikes that the big companies are charging sonic has been my wonderful company with great customer care, their local and they employ a lot of people in the area.

Also I live in northern California and earthquake Area, Having a landline is crucial during an earthquake as the larger and we had in 1989,.... This is another vital reason, possibly not be able To get in the wheelchair and make a phone call when cell phones won't work.

Please use good common sense for the good of the people education is power and I would be cut off from the world without this somewhat affordable prices to sonic. (this is my highest bill and I find it a life link and vital to living a life with the little fulfillment)

Thank you.

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